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Tongbi Jiang et al.

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CONTROL OF SPREAD OF VISCOUS
MATERIAL APPLIED TO
SEMICONDUCTOR ASSEMBLY
COMPONENTS

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please revise the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 13, 14, 21, 32 through 37, 45, 52 through 56, 62 and 63. Please note that all remaining claims currently pending and under consideration in the referenced application are shown below, in clean form, for clarity. None of the claims are amended herein.